AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

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The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions of claims in the application.

Claims 1-9 (canceled)

-- Claim 10 (new): A pyrazolinecarboxanilide of formula (I)

in which

R¹ represents halogen,

R² represents cyano, halogen, haloalkyl, haloalkoxy, alkylthio, haloalkylthio, alkylsulphinyl, haloalkylsulphinyl, alkylsulphonyl, or haloalkylsulphonyl,

R³ represents cyano, halogen, haloalkyl, haloalkoxy, alkylthio, haloalkylthio, alkylsulphinyl, haloalkylsulphinyl, alkylsulphonyl, or haloalkylsulphonyl, and

R⁴ represents cyanoalkyl.

Claim 11 (new): A pyrazolinecarboxanilide of formula (I) according to Claim 10 in which

R¹ represents chlorine, bromine, or iodine,

R² represents cyano, fluorine, chlorine, bromine, iodine, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkylthio, C₁-C₄-alkylsulphinyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkylsulphinyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkylsulphonyl,

R³ represents cyano, fluorine, chlorine, bromine, iodine, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkylthio, C₁-C₄-alkylsulphinyl, C₁-C₄-haloalkylsulphinyl, C₁-C₄-alkylsulphonyl, or C₁-C₄-haloalkylsulphonyl,

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R⁴ represents cyano-C₁-C₄-alkyl.

Claim 12 (new): A pyrazolinecarboxanilide of formula (I) according to Claim 10 in which

R¹ represents chlorine, bromine, or iodine,

R² represents cyano, fluorine, chlorine, bromine, iodine, monofluoromethyl, difluoromethyl, trifluoromethyl, monochloromethyl, dichloromethyl, trichloromethyl, chlorodifluoromethyl, fluorodichloromethyl, monofluoroethyl, difluoroethyl, trifluoroethyl, tetrafluoroethyl, pentafluoroethyl, monochloroethyl, dichloroethyl, trichloroethyl, chlorofluoroethyl, chlorodifluoroethyl, chlorotrifluoroethyl, fluorodichloroethyl, dichlorodifluoroethyl, difluoromethoxy, trifluoromethoxy, trifluoromethoxy, trifluoromethoxy, trifluoromethoxy, thloroethoxy, dichloroethoxy, chlorofluoroethoxy, methylthio, ethylthio, n- or i-propylthio, difluoromethylthio, trifluoromethylthio, chlorodifluoromethylthio, methylsulphinyl, ethylsulphinyl, difluoromethylsulphinyl, trifluoromethylsulphinyl, methylsulphonyl, ethylsulphonyl, difluoromethylsulphonyl, or trifluoromethylsulphonyl,

R³ represents cyano, fluorine, chlorine, bromine, iodine, monofluoromethyl, difluoromethyl, trifluoromethyl, monochloromethyl, dichloromethyl, trichloromethyl, chlorodifluoromethyl, fluorodichloromethyl, monochloroethyl, difluoroethyl, trifluoroethyl, tetrafluoroethyl, pentafluoroethyl, monochloroethyl, dichloroethyl, trichloroethyl, chlorofluoroethyl, chlorodifluoroethyl, chlorotrifluoroethyl, fluorodichloroethyl, dichlorodifluoroethyl, difluoromethoxy, trifluoromethoxy, trifluoromethoxy, trifluoromethoxy, trifluoromethoxy, tetrafluoroethoxy, chloroethoxy, dichloroethoxy, chlorofluoroethoxy, methylthio, ethylthio, n- or i-propylthio, difluoromethylthio, trifluoromethylthio, chlorodifluoromethylthio, methylsulphinyl, ethylsulphinyl, difluoromethylsulphinyl, trifluoromethylsulphinyl, methylsulphonyl, ethylsulphonyl, difluoromethylsulphonyl, or trifluoromethylsulphonyl,

R⁴ represents cyanomethyl, cyanoethyl, or cyanopropyl.

Claim 13 (new): A pyrazolinecarboxanilide of formula (I) according to Claim 10 in which

R¹ represents chlorine or bromine,

R² represents cyano, fluorine, chlorine, bromine, iodine, difluoromethyl, trifluoromethyl, dichloromethyl, trichloromethyl, chlorodifluoromethyl, fluorodichloromethyl, difluoromethoxy, trifluoromethoxy, chlorodifluoromethoxy, difluoromethylthio, trifluoromethylthio, trifluoromethyl-sulphinyl, or trifluoromethylsulphonyl,

R³ represents cyano, fluorine, chlorine, bromine, iodine, difluoromethyl, trifluoromethyl, dichloromethyl, trichloromethyl, chlorodifluoromethyl, fluorodichloromethyl, difluoromethoxy, trifluoromethoxy, chlorodifluoromethoxy, difluoromethylthio, trifluoromethylthio, trifluoromethyl-sulphinyl, or trifluoromethylsulphonyl,

R⁴ represents cyanomethyl.

Claim 14 (new): A process for preparing a pyrazolinecarboxanilide of formula (I) according to Claim 10 comprising reacting a substituted pyrazoline of formula (II)

$$\mathbb{R}^{1}$$
 $\mathbb{N}-\mathbb{N}$
 \mathbb{N}
 \mathbb{N}
 \mathbb{N}
 \mathbb{N}
 \mathbb{N}
 \mathbb{N}
 \mathbb{N}

in which R¹ and R² are as defined for formula (I) in Claim 10, with an isocyanate of formula (III)

$$OCN - R^3 \qquad (III)$$

in which R³ is as defined for formula (I) in Claim 10, optionally in the presence of a diluent and optionally in the presence of a catalyst.

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to form a substituted pyrazolinecarboxanilide of formula (Ia)

$$\mathbb{R}^{1}$$
 $\mathbb{N}-\mathbb{N}$
 \mathbb{N}
 \mathbb{N}

in which R¹, R², and R³ are as defined for formula (I) in Claim 10, and reacting the substituted pyrazolinecarboxanilide of formula (Ia) with a halogen compound of formula (IV)

$$X^{1}-R^{4}$$
 (IV)

in which

R⁴ is as defined for formula (I) in Claim 10, and

X¹ represents halogen,

optionally in the presence of a diluent and optionally in the presence of a base.

Claim 15 (new): A process for preparing a pyrazolinecarboxanilide of formula (Ib) according to Claim 10

$$\mathbb{R}^{1}$$
 \mathbb{C}^{N-N}
 \mathbb{R}^{2}
 \mathbb{R}^{3}
(Ib)

in which R^1 , R^2 and R^3 are as defined for formula (I) in Claim 10,

comprising reacting a substituted pyrazoline of formula (II)

$$\mathbb{R}^{1}$$
 $\mathbb{N}-\mathbb{N}$
 \mathbb{N}
 \mathbb{N}
 \mathbb{N}
 \mathbb{N}
 \mathbb{N}
 \mathbb{N}
 \mathbb{N}
 \mathbb{N}

in which R¹ and R² are as defined for formula (I) in Claim 10, with a carbamoyl chloride of formula (V)

$$CI \longrightarrow O$$
 $NC-CH_2 \longrightarrow R^3$
 (V)

in which R³ is as defined for formula (I) in Claim 10, in the presence of a diluent and optionally in the presence of a base.

Claim 16 (new): A pesticide comprising one or more compounds of formula (I) according to Claim 10 and one or more extenders and/or surfactants.

Claim 17 (new): A method of controlling pests comprising allowing an effective amount of one or more compounds of formula (I) according to Claim 10 to act on the pests and/or their habitat.

Claim 18 (new): A process for preparing pesticides comprising mixing one or more compounds of formula (I) according to Claim 10 with one or more extenders and/or surfactants.--

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